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In re Application of: Jean-Paul CANO et al.

Filed: February 7, 2001

For: OPHTHALMIC LENS MADE OF ORGANIC GLASS WITH SHOCKPROOF
INTERMEDIATE LAYER; AND METHOD FOR MAKING SAME

Serial No.: 09/778,464

Group Art Unit: 1773

Examiner: Nakarani, D.S.

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 30, 2003

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Sir:

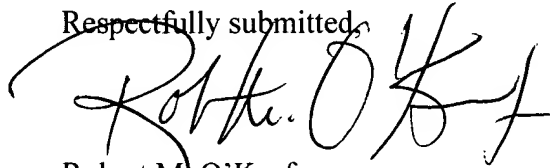
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time for three (3) month(s) to and including January 30, 2004, in which to respond to the final office action dated July 30, 2003.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17, a check in the amount of \$950.00 is enclosed, which is the fee for a three (3) month(s) extension of time.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert M. O'Keefe", written over the typed name.

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